

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Mr. Lewis B. Suiter spent the week end at Garysburg.

The Dawson Items look as if they are tried for murder.

Mrs. Jim Cherry, and daughter, spent several days in town last week on business.

Mr. L. H. Kitchin planted an orchard of Pecan trees on his place recently.

Miss Sallie May Josey returned from a visit to the eastern part of the State.

Mr. T. H. DeBerry has sold his stock of dry goods to Mr. B. F. Harrell at Spring Hill.

Rev. G. H. Johnson of Enfield filled his regular appointment here Sunday P. M. to a large congregation.

Mr. Ed. Walston of Edgecombe spent Friday here on business, it is understood he is to occupy the J. E. Bowers farm next year.

Little Evelyn Partin who recently underwent an operation for nose and throat troubles, is doing nicely, owing to these conditions.

Mrs. F. A. Howell, who has been on her farms in Edgecombe county entertaining her daughter, Miss Dieie Howell, returned to town Sunday evening.

Miss Dieie Howell, who was to have spent several days in town, was called back to New York City last week, but her intention is to spend the Christmas holidays in Scotland Neck.

REV. R. A. McFARLAND PREACHES AT OXFORD

Rev. R. A. McFarland will leave Saturday for Oxford, N. C., where he will preach at both morning and evening services on Sunday. His pulpit here will be filled at both Sunday services by Dr. Hight C. Moore, editor of the Biblical Recorder.

DEATH OF INFANT

The four months old infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edmonds, who live on Mr. Leland Kitchin's place, died on Saturday morning about six o'clock, of complications.

The funeral was held at Nahala Sunday afternoon, and a large number of friends attended the burial.

REV. R. A. McFARLAND WILL OFFICIATE AT BROTHERS WEDDING

Tuesday Rev. R. A. McFarland will officiate at the wedding of his brother, Mr. Lester T. McFarland, of Greenville county. Mr. McFarland expects to return in time to conduct the Wednesday evening prayer service.

BRIDGE PARTY

Saturday afternoon from three to six o'clock, Miss Eleanor Smith entertained quite a number of her friends with a lively bridge party.

The party was given in honor of Mrs. Henry T. Clark, a bride of a few weeks.

The guests were received by the hostess and invited into the parlor and dining rooms, which were very attractive and inviting with vases of holly and potted plants of red sage.

Pretty score cards suggestive of the Christmas season were given out and as each game ended scores were kept by the hostess.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Stuart Smith had progressed more than anyone else.

As a souvenir of this delightful party, as well as her skillful playing, she was given a lovely box of stationery, attractively

tied up in Christmas colors.

To the guest of honor a dainty handkerchief was presented, while the booby prize fell to the lot of Miss Julia Brown. It was a dear little old man-Santa Claus.

The hostess assisted by Miss Mary Weldon Smith, served an elegant salad course, followed by a tempting sweet course.

The guests enjoying this delightful party were: Mesdames George Coke, A. P. Kitchin, R. H. Gray, G. S. White, Joe Cotton, J. E. Bowers, B. W. Martin, W. C. Dickinson, C. W. Albertson, H. I. Clark, J. B. Flaughner, H. T. Clark, Ray Boyette, G. Hoffman, Moses Oppheimer, of Augusta, Ga., A. McDowell, Strauss of Henderson, H. J. Rawls, Stuart Smith, C. H. Herring, G. H. Johnson, R. D. Jenkins, E. W. Smith and Mrs. Temple.

Misses Louise and Mattie Josey, Laura Clark, Maud, Lizzie and Jennie Leggett, Julia Bryan, Miller, Susie Hill and Mary Weldon Smith.

HOBGOOD NOTES

The Hobgood school house has been the scene of some merry makings lately. Thanksgiving the children entertained their parents with a short interesting program, after which the Ladies Aid Society served oysters.

Last week tables were turned when the grown folks dressed as children and entertained their children, and neighbors, as an old time school.

The program presented the last day of school with its rehearsal of the evening performance, a prominent part of which was colored Rastus, trembling in the undertakers establishment.

Refreshments served by the Ladies Aid Society, ended the evening hilarity.

On Thursday night, December 21st, the high school department will present a three act play "Oak Farm," in which Donald Weathersby, a young farmer, goes to college to make himself more worthy of the girl he loves, Helen. His father has to mortgage "Oak Farm" to send him. Jonathan Preene, the postmaster, who holds the mortgage, causes trouble.

Miss Cynthia Warner, an old maid neighbor, and her two beaux cause much laughter, as do also the younger members of the family.

Tickets will be on sale at the R. J. Shields' store Wednesday, December 20th, and there is expected to be a goodly crowd present.

DAWSON ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Twisdale and Miss Selma Twisdale of Spring Hill attended services here Sunday P. M.

Miss Bessie Cherry a teacher of Dawson school spent Friday in Halifax attending the teachers meeting.

Mrs. W. E. Messengar made a trip to Spring Hill Thursday.

Miss Ruby Darden teacher of White's school spent Friday in Halifax attending the teachers meeting and bears the distinction of making the highest average of any school represented there. This is perhaps the largest one teacher school in the county.

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34 x 4	26.50	4.60	
36 x 4	27.55	5.50	
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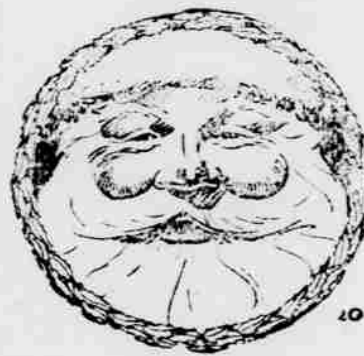
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display. So below we are suggesting a few just to give you an idea of the many wonderful gifts we are offering. We'll gladly help you with your gift list. May we have the pleasure soon?

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